

Worried Man Blues

Traditional

It [G] takes a worried man to sing a worried song
It [C] takes a worried man to sing a worried.[G].song
I'm worried [D7] now, but I won't be worried [G] long

I [G] went across the river and I lay down to sleep
I [C] went across the river and I lay down to.[G].sleep
When I woke [D7] up, had shackles on my [G] feet

Twenty [G] nine links of chain around my leg
Twenty [C] nine links of chain around my.[G].leg
And on each [D7] link an initial of my [G] name

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I [G] asked the judge, what might be my fine
I [C] asked the judge, what might be my.[G].fine
Twenty one [D7] years on the Rocky Mountain [G] Line

The [G] train I ride, is sixteen coaches long
The train I [C] ride, is sixteen coaches.[G].long
The girl I [D7] love is on that train and [G] gone

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If [G] anyone should ask you who composed this song
If [C] anyone should ask you who composed this.[G].song
Tell 'em 'twas [D7] I, and I sing it all day [G] long

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